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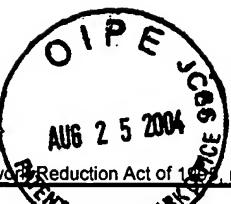
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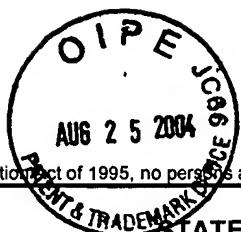
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: Antoine J. H. Winkelmolen and Mitchell Scott Stockton

Application No./Patent No.: 10/764,859 Filed/Issue Date: January 26, 2004

Entitled: DECROPPING TOOL AND WRAPPED CAM FOR USE IN FOOD PROCESING MACHINERY

Johnson Food Equipment, Inc., a Missouri  
(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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## **PATENT ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, we, **Antoine J.H. Winkelmolen** of 502 Rene Street, Shawnee, Kansas 66216; and **Mitchell Scott Stockton** of 2210 Barker Avenue, Lawrence, Kansas 66046, hereinafter referred to as Assignors, are the joint inventors of a certain new and useful invention relating to a **DECROPPING TOOL AND WRAPPED CAM FOR USE IN FOOD PROCESSING MACHINERY** for which Assignors filed an application for United States Letters Patent on January 26, 2004 with the United States Patent and Trademark Office, said application being assigned Application No. 10/764,859; and

WHEREAS, Assignors are the owners and in full possession of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

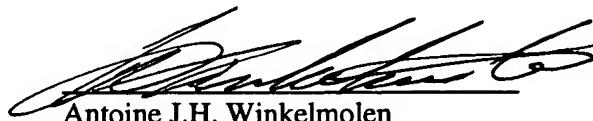
WHEREAS, **Johnson Food Equipment, Inc.**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Missouri, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, having its principal place of business at 2955 Fairfax Trafficway, Kansas City, Kansas 66115 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said Invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patent that may be granted therefor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of other valuable considerations to Assignors paid by said Assignee, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignors do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, that may be granted therefor, together with any and all continuations, divisions, or reissues, and Assignors do hereby authorize and request the United Staes Commissioner of Patents and

Trademarks to issue in accordance with this Assignment any and all Letters Patent that may be granted, either on said application or otherwise for said invention.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Assignors have hereunto set their hands and seals.

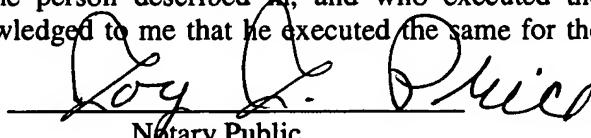
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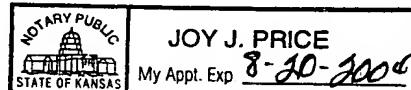
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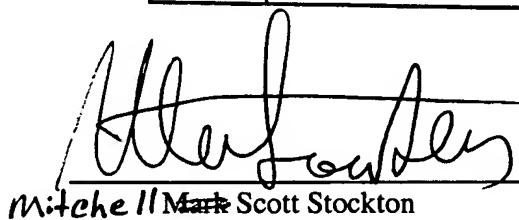
On this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 2004, before me personally appeared Antoine J.H. Winkelmolen to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

  
Joy J. Price  
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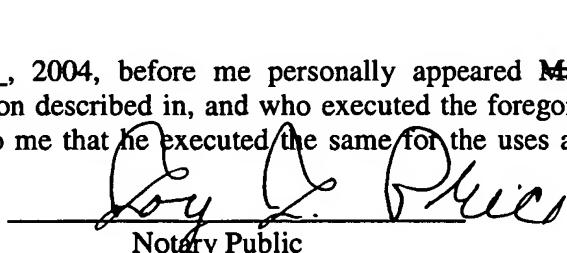


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Mitchell Scott Stockton

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On this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 2004, before me personally appeared Mark Scott Stockton to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

  
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